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To Our Pride in the Past and Our Hope for the Future, Lat Us Add Vigorous Work in the biving Present.

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That Women and Children Appreciate

When considering the Christmas Gift problem, by all means think of Slippers, as they are especially pracical and always acceptable for women.

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For Children-Slippers and red top boots

Buy Useful Presents. Let Us Show You WILKINS & BROWN THE SHOE MEN

THE Hospital Committee, in spite | PASTORS AND PUBare always well received and of those who are able will conte. Additional list of names will

J. KELSO has been eleced Masof Finance for the local Knights of , and J. D. McKee, Master of al Pythian Lodge is in a prosper-

BRYAN WILSON and William and most promising young men, e important positions on the is Times, and the Ledger prethey will both "make good."

gian sufferers. This a most worcause, and should have your co-The Pollock Milling & rator Company will sell you a bar of flour at cost, which is only be found in the front rank, as worthy charity.

little friends can communicate he lived? him as usual. You must make r letters brief and write as plainas you can. Be modest in your rewould appreciate it very much if little friends in Mexico would help out, and send something to the le children of Europe who must be ked after in spite of the terrible ship. And the distanter the better." ar. If you will help Santa out a e this year, you will appreciate at he sends you that much more. nta Claus is a great fellow for reci-

SECRETARY GARRISON'S words praise of Gen. Funston's work at ra Cruz are thoroughly deserved. record made there by the Unit- pert talk. States troops and their commandduring the seven months of the ocation of the Mexican port is highly creditable chapter in the hisry of the army. To have gone into foreign city with arms in their ds, maintained the authority of be United States and preserved percient pesthole into a model ncy in defiance of the habits of bereaved. he population and finally with its proval, was a performance that rered unusual qualities by those in harge of the situation.

J. C. Mundy Mexico Intelligencer J. W. Dry E. A. Lawrence

ing. In order that the public LIC ENTERPRISES IT speaks well for a community when the pastors of the various the side of economic and efficient churches take an active interest in management; from the side of servpublic enterprises. There is every ices rendered there by physicians and reason why a minister of the Gospel, nurses; and from the side of the elements of permanency involved in

guer for the twentieth time. prise, especially libraries and hospit- that the Board of Directors have acs is surely a high honor well con- als and propositions of that charac- quitted themselves in such a manner d. We are glad to know that the ter. It is also not only proper, but as merits the unreserved commends important, that ministers of the Gos- and county. From precision and expel should take an interest in polit- actness of records and readiness to ical movements, especially those that answer all interrogations from resworth, two of Mexico's bright- have anything to do with the morals corded facts I am sure that the Su-We do not mean that pastors of work. From talking with patients, churches should dabble around in as well as knowing the sincere interaking good" on metropolitan political intrigues and party-office est of the medical fraternity, I am cemetery near the university campus spapers is a way the Maxico boys hunting, but they should most assur- saying to the Mexico people that in- in Champaign, Ill. His body, with a edly be found on the job, and active- dications vouch for the fact that the bullet wound in the head, was found ly and openly at work for any move- par with many larger institutions of Republic ment and every movement that tends much longer standing.

toward the advancement or uplift of that part of the Lord's vineyard in which they are working. They should more especially be found actively opmore especially be found actively opposing any enterprise or any move- tients, who have made a total of lege there, about six years ago. O. The people of all the counment that would result in lowering 1,455 days of treatment in the Hosame that his mill will sell the local fund the moral sentiment of the communitation of the communita ment that would result in lowering 1,455 days of treatment in the Hosneedy in the war zone, and Mexico ity. It is ridiculous to say that a made a total of 919 days of treatminister of the Gospel should have ment. The remainder, 45, have been had previously. no influence outside of his pulpit. private room patients with a total of Following his graduation from Mc-What kind of a church would a pas- 536 days in the Hospital. The Ward Kendree College in 1910, he taught in THE LEDGER has made its ar- tor have if he had no influence with patients' accounts in income to the various public and private schools in clothing is very great there and a gests those who have old clothes ole of a community in which

THE Louisiana, Mo., Press-Journal \$1347.85, or an average of daily ex- Mr. Large believed he was not makditorially says: "When W. J. Bryan pense to the patients of \$2.51. ou ask for. Santa Claus has lots of young woman claimed to be his coustile folks to remember this year, and wanted to hug him, but he delectured in Chicago Saturday night, a clined until he could investigate the \$2.75. consanguinity. If that y. w. will on the inside expense and does not this condition. come to Louisiana she can get a hug cover the outside such as heat, no matter how distant the relation- light and gas. And again by com-NO new cases of diphtheria, and the service as good, and that practi- of years, died, Monday night. Mr.

> out again. There is no diphtehria in nother will grow up and marry woman who will not stand for

Child Dies.

Alice Fred, 5 years old, daughter of e same time to have converted an day afternoon. She had been ill only rooms received care and attention of a short time. The Ledger joins and environment equal to that of othinliness, sanitation and outward friends in extending sympathy to the er hospitals in towns no larger where ty, and Mrs. Chas. Flittner of Mex-

> visiting Mrs George Barkwell Columbia, returned home Monday.

Mexico Doctors 300 W. F. Atkinson W. W. Botts J. F. Llewellyn & Sons Wm. Pollock

of Directors of the Mexico Hospital, who themselves speak and act for the public mind and spirit of the Mexico work on the guarantee for the Hospital for 1915 this (Tuesday) mornknow the inside facts about the operations and work of the Hospital for the eleven months it has been in existence, I have gone through the records of the management personally and beg leave to set before the peoam satisfied are true in every respect I have scanned the work from

who is really on his job, should take these eleven months. an interest in every public enter- In the first place I am convinced perintendent of the Hospital bas done and a former instructor at the Misservice within the Hospital is on a in the afternoon, says the St. Louis

average daily expense of \$1.18. The tor at

paring the service of the Mexico Hos pital with that of city hospitals I find the dray business here for a number those who have been ill are able to be cally every other hospital reports its Dahlem was a sufferer from diabetis Minimum Expense per patient as be- and had been in ill health for some hetwen \$3.50 and \$3.85. I am now TODAY the boy who is sassing and rather critically intimated intera rogation, "Where is there any evi- er conducted the services. Mr. Dah dence of the public helpfulness of lem was born April 26, 1873, on REMEMER this is Hospital Week, per day the 919 days of Ward Paand the maintenance fund for this in- tients whose returns to the Hospital were \$1185,20 cost the Mexico Hos- of the Christian Church and a man

\$28 came in for his stay And more-Mr and Mrs. Chas. Fred, died Tues- over, if those patients in private tient is from \$3.50 to \$3.85, the 45 Mrs. C. H Watts, who has been private room patients who spent 536 \$1 per day or \$536.00 in actual worth from this distinctively Mexico institution. The Mexico Hospital. short, I feel that every person in the city who has helped this movement, and every person who has received the care of the Hospital has contrib-

uted to a great public good or is indebted to a great public good. people conscientiously believing them orders and delivering goods without a to be true. If you are such an one as thinks in terms of public good, the case to the Supreme Court. His de-Mexico Hospital will commend itself in good works to you. Our solicitors are not BEGGING; they are REPRESENTING a Mexico institu-

W. A. SHULLENBERGER, Chairman.

The Campaign Committee had good day Tuesday and has done such work today as the unfavorable weather permitted. The reception accorded the ladies who are representing the Hospital has been almost universally cordial. We feel that the public sen timent is crystallizing strongly in faver of the Hospital Movement. Thus from his home in Moberly yester far there have been no rebuffs toward the solicitors and very little criticism adjoining room and were awakened voiced. The spirit of the Campaign by a scuffling on the front porch. its council was optimistic. The entire carried into an automobile and driv-Committee as it met last evening in Committee has realized from the first en rapidly away. that the task of securing the \$2,000 guarantee for next year was no easy task nor a matter of dress parade. We have taken thorough cognizance of trouble. the financial stringency of the whole country as well as of the numerous appeals that have come to this city in

cal enterprises. All this we have foreseen. And because of these very things we are asking and expectin the loyal cooperation of every person in the city who desires to see the Hos pital stay-at least give it a chance to

get out of its infant days. This leads us to say two things: FIRST. There lurks here and there in Mexico the idea that because the Hospital has been in existence one

established merits.

SECOND. We ask that our Mexpledge of \$20.00 is not payable as a lump sum, but is distributed through ments. The first \$5 is payable on or citizenship of Audrain County. before January 1st, 1915; the next in ple of Mexico these facts, which I the spring; and the other two in the latter part of the year. We urge this upon your sincere consideration inasworking in the season and month when family and commercial budgets are somewhat congested. Will you not divorce in your minds the \$20.00 pledge from the month of December and associate the subscription with the year 1915?

W. A. SHULLENBERGER,

A. B LARGE KILLS SELF East St. Louis relatives of A. B Large, 26 years old, a post-graduate student at the University of Illinois souri Military Academy, Mexico, Mo. were notified Tuesday night, that he had shot and killed himself in a

Mrs. Harris said her brother, the son of Rev. W. J. Large, a retired He never appeared quite the same been Ward Patients and these have he felt he never made as rapid prog-

Hospital amount to \$1185.20, or an Illinois, and last year was an instrucprivate room patients' accounts in emy at Mexico, Mo. Dispatches from Champaign said

ing progress with his studies. Monday But by actual figures I find that night, according to his roommate, he And this estimate is based breakdown. Overstudy is blamed for

> JOHN R DAHLEM DEAD. John R. Dahlem, who has been in

The funeral was Wednes time. ready to answer the too-quickly put, day afternoon at 2 o'clock from the the Mexico Hospital?" Taking the farm north of this city and was rais-

pital just \$1212.30. And one Ward of fine character and habits. Besides Patient, for instance had 95 days to a wife and mother, Mrs. Elizabeth his credit and owing to conditions but Dahlem, he leaves the following children: Ollie, May and Emma John Robert. He is also survived by the following brothers and sisters: Ed., of Canada; Eugene, of this cou the estimated expense per day per patending sympathy to the bereaved. The pall bearers were Dr. R. W. days in the Hospital really received Berrey, S. P. Cunningham, J. W. Dry Frank Atkins, T J Kelso, T W Threl

CITY LOST SUIT The suit of the City of Mexico against C. A. Fleming has been reversed and remanded with directions by the Supreme Court of Missouri Over a year ago Mr. Fleming I submit these facts to our Mexico fined \$100 by the city for soliciting license. Mr. Fleming appealed the fense was that he was engaged Inter-State Commerce when he delivered his goods, they being sent to this city from Ohio. City Attorney Robertson, who represented the City in the Supreme Court, says this is a test of the City Ordinance which place es a license on all persons soliciting orders and delivering goods in Mexico. Mr. Fleming was represented by F R. Jesse, formerly of Mexico, and

> MOBERLY CHILD ABDUCTED Moberly, Mo., Dec. 2. - Orville Beach, jr., 6 years old, was stolen day. His parents were sleeping in an From a window they saw the Both Beach and his wife said to

day they knew of no enemies nor of anyone with whom they had had any

Orlando Worrell was over from Columbia and spent Sunday with his par last four months by reason of lo- ents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Worrell.

"MOST BENEFICIAL AND **COMMENDABLE ENTERPRISE**

R. M. White & Son. Editors Mexico Ledger. Gentlemen: Having noticed that year, it should now operate itself among the business men of Mexico as without further calls to the communi to the advisability of making the ty. In other words there should be Round Up a permanent institution no need of this guarantee fund. Part of this need we revealed in yesterday's dailies. In addition, let us recitation of the Round Up just held. It mark that there are many excellent business concerns in this city that to attend every entertainment put on have been operated successfully for by Mexico's business men since the the past ten years according to Brad- days of October street fairs, so much street and local opinion, and yet these in vogue several years ago. And, how representative businesses have bor- ever fallible my judgment may be, I Pursuant to the wishes of the Board of Directors of the Mexico Hospital, who themselves speak and act for the

the Hospital at least three years to prise. When the Round Up posters demonstrate its worth and permanan- were distributed over the County by populace regarding the Hospital, the cy. The first year is pioneer year; the the rural school children, everybody Campaign Committee has gone to second a time of constructive plans; was asking: "What will a Round Up the third, an era of fuller life on its be like?" And not giving the opinion of those whom we heard give an expression, we will say that ico people consider that the unit- were radically wrong and that the entertainment put on this fall was one of the most pleasant surprises to out the year 1915 in \$5.00 install- which Mexico has ever treated the

If there are among the business men who contributed so magnificently to make the Reund Up a success much as we realize the Committee is ing with what might have been expected on an occasion like this, we would ask that they please remember that the farmers are now facing crisis, in fact, undergoing a financial depression, such as they have never before had to face. Also we woul say that in the harvest time of 1915, which our never-dying hope tells us ducts of our farms and our schools with their handiwork will be ready to join you in a Round Up far excelling your beautiful initial effort of this year.

lieving that I speak the sentiment of the great majority of the rural citizenship of Audrain County and thank ing you sincerely for the generous manner in which you entertained us. I am gratefully

Yours, BASIL A SMITH.

FLOUR AT COST William Pollock, of the Pollock Milling & Elevator Co., of this city, has subscribed three barrels of flour to the Belgian Relief Fund being raised in this city and Clothing For Belgians

F. C. Weilandy, of St. Louis, who recently met a friend just returned from Belgium, says the necessity for clothing is very great there and suggive away to make a shipment to the send the Ledger the address of a New PRESIDENT WILSON war refugees. Mr. Weilandy York business man who will pay the freight on all clothing to be used for this purpose. The address will turned over to the Mexico committee attending to the relief work as soon as it arrives.

Circuit Court Notes. The case of Henry Winkler vs. N. cation over rent for a farm, was decid ed Saturday in favor of the defendant. The suit of Simon Dubinsky Co. over a policy went on trial Monday afternoon. The docket for Tues-

\$155 For Belgian Relief Fund. Brookfield, Mo., Dec. 1 .- The Lades' Civic League of Brookfield has sent a draft for \$155 to the J. P. Morgan Bank of New York, for the Belgian Relief Fund. It is the amount and Prevention of Tuberculosis: ionated by the friends of the league in Brookfield.

Weather Forecast for December Between 2nd and 10th, rains

Between 24th and 1st of January, 1915, snow and stormy, P. S. Our winter will commence after 22nd in ing and sensible way of enabling the earnest. The average temperature people of the country to give will be slightly above the December great work their support." average; the precipitation will generally below normal. D. J. Kanaly.

Through an accident, the name of Dr. C. L. Blanks was left out of the list of physicians who aided in dressing the wreck victims at the Mexico spital last week. Dr. Blanks dress ed in dressing several others.

Miss Martha Shotwell, a student at the University, spent the week-end in this city with Miss Dorothy Worrell.

Everything Modern

In my bakery. With mother. the best of machinery it is no wonder our Bread is the best.

of this bakery. It is a the great Thanksgiving dinners de-White List one.

ACKMAN'S

Model Bakery Phone 242 in heaven as they are on earth

Christmas Gifts -displayed at-

Plain Figures One Price

Initial sugar and cream set, white Bavarian China,

with coin gold handles, rim, tracing and initial, any letter, \$1.25 pair.

Gold-filled Bracelet, oval shape, one half engraved,

Misses' \$2.50

Sterling Silver Thimble, en-

graved border, raised protec-

tion rim, good weight 50c

case, a Christmas bargain at \$5.

Solid gold LaValliere, genuine diamond set,

15-inch solid gold chain, complete in silk lined

Ivory button hook 50c

Engraved and inlaid

with colored enamel.

All manicure pieces

Ladies' \$3.50

The House of Quality

We have a charming display of Christmas Gifts for everyone on your list-for the family, relatives, friends and mere acquaintances. Costly gifts to gifts moderately priced. All of them, large or small, are beautiful and unique. Our selection for this Holiday Season includes hundreds ot gifts at 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Our Name on the Box Lends an Added Value to Your Gift.

The Early

Buyer Gets

First Choice

Englirh finish, three sizes,

Child's \$1.50

Electric Library Lamp, 21 inches high, shade 16 inches wide, antique brass stand; amber glass, cut out border shade \$9.00



Babies' locket and chain, gold-filled, polished, special \$1. Solid gold, English finish \$1.50



solid gold signet ring, Grecian design in rose and polished finish, good weight, any size \$5. ENGRAVING FREE

Gentleman's

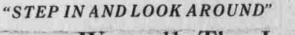
Dress pins, 3 styles,polished, Roman and English finish,

Gold plate 25c pr. Gold filled, 50c pr. Solid gold, \$1 pr.



Hull Detachable Umbrellas, handles 25c to \$10, bases \$1 to \$5. The only Umbrella with a guarantee. The Princess Special Umbrella, long mahogany handle, Priestly cloth base \$4. All Mail Orders promptly filled.

All goods put up in Christmas packages. Selected Articles held for the Holidays.



aughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. S.

Miller, who reside near this city, and

Russell Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs

Albert Martin, well known resident

and popular with a wide circle of

The Ledger joins their many

CAN SEND PARCELS ABROAD

Washington, Dec. 2.-Resumption

f the parcel post service between the

The lifting at this time of the pro-

lack of means of transportation re-

Christmas remembrances to Europe

Parcel post packages are now mail-

able to all countries with which the

tions, except Belgium, Turkey and the

orthern and northeastern parts of

France, where military operations

prevent a resumption of the service.

18-Inch Snow in Winnipeg

Winnipeg, Canada, Dec. 2.-From

nora, Ont., the heaviest snowstorm of

the season raged last night and this

A foot and a half of snow has fall-

Franklin L. Miller, a former Mis-

souri Military Academy student, now

in the advertising business in Kan-

sas City, has been the guest of Mex-

Old Fashion Buckwheat flour, NEW,

Kenneth Sanford was over from Co

imbia and spent Sunday.

ico friends.

en in Winnepeg, impeding traffic.

United States has parcel post conven-

which otherwise would have been im-

sulting from the war, will make pos- Moberly hospital for treatment.

hibition against acceptance of parcels

Austria-Hungary has been announ

by Postmaster General Burleson

for these countries, caused by

sible the sending of thousands

nd much happiness.

6-inch size 90c

Cut Glass Nappy,

pressed blank, full cut

5-inch size 75c

K. C. Postmastership Declined by

Herewith is a copy of the telegram

Kansas City sent Tuesday af

oon to Postmaster General Burl

lectining the position of postmaste

eson by W. S. Cowberd, former can

Owing to my absence, your

just received. I appreciate very

much the friendship which I know prompted your offer. But I

cannot think of accepting. I have

found the practice of my profes-

sion both pleasant and profita-

ble, something few in politics

Mr Cowherd affirmed the fact that

e had been offered the postmaster

K. P. Elect Officers.

ficers Monday evening. The follow

ling are the new officers; C. C., T. L.

Marshall; V. C., C A Barnes; P., J T

C H. Hamilton; M. E., J D McKee;

M. F., T J Kelso, I. G., J E Lowery;

O. G., S J Duncan; Trustee, D C

T. J. Kelso has been Master of Fi-

nance for the local lodge for 17 years

and J. D. McKee, Master of Excheq-

uer, for 20 years. They were both re-

"Uncle" Hornce Brinks Dead

"Uncle" Horace Brinks, 73 years old, one of Mexico's most highly re-

East Mexico, Monday afternoon. He was the husband of "Aunt" Becky

Brinks, well known to almost every

white person in town. Negroes of

this type who belonged to the "days

Abe Morris, of Louisiana, Mo., a

nephew of Sam Morris, of this city,

recently took a chance on a Ford au

tomobile at Shelbyville. The chance

cost him 10 cents and his number

1048 was the winner. He immediate

Martinsburg Dramatic Club.

The Martinsburg Dramatic Club

rill stage a three-act comedy entit-

ed "A Family Affair", at Romans

enefit of The King's Daughters of

Miss Ethel Wallace, who has been

Hall Saturday night, Dec. 5, for the

Benton City, Mo. dwl

ly auctioned the machine off

ceiving \$200 for it.

"Uncle" Horace's death,

spected negroes, died at his home

The Knights of Pythias elected of-

ship at Kansas City, but said he

W. S. COWHERD.

can say. With best wishes

would decline.

oupling cars. He was sent to the Marshall; M. W., W S Eller; M. A.,

Haskell

lidate for Governor of Missouri

telegram of November 30

Worrell, The Jeweler ON THE CORNER OF MEXICO

20 year case, open wind and set \$9.25.

of the county near Martinsburg, were Washington, D C., Dec. 1, 1914:married Tuesday evening at "May I not particularly express my interest in the Red Cross Christmas Seal," says President Wilson in C. Beckley which grew out of an alter a letter to The National Association farm, north of Martinsburg. for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, made public today. ginning today, every letter going out against the Hartford Fire Insurance of the White House for the next four ble young woman. The bridegroom is weeks and from many of the government offices bears the Red Cross

As an expression of his interest in the anti-tuberculosis campaign, Pres riends in wishing them a long life ident Wilson writes to Dr. Charles J. Hatfield, Executive Secretary of The National Association for the Study

"May I not take this occasion express to you my deep interest the work of the National Anti-Tuber culosis Association and my hope that or its work is growing in efficiency and mow; between 10th and 16th, stor- extent from year to year? May I not my; between 16th and 24th, rains or particularly express my interest in now if winds are southwest on 16th the Red Cross Christmas Seal whose sale has been the means of raising funds for the work? It seems to me that this is a particularly interest Over 115,000,000 Red Cross Seals

are on sale today in every state in the Union, except Nevada, and even in Hawaii, the Canal Zone, and Vera

Vandalia's Old Curiosity Shop For the benefit of the Vandalia Pub ic Library an exhibit of old curiosi ed three of the injured as well as aid ties was held last week. One of the oldest curiosities seen and also heard Portage La Prairie, Manitoba, to Kewas a horn made more than a hundred years ago by the great-grandafternoon gave no signs of abating. father of R. W. Campbell. It was made from the horn of a heifer in Tennessee and was used to call the help on the farm to dinner and in hunting. A blast from this horn can be heard from Vandalia to Laddonia if the blaster's lung power is nornal.—St. Louis Republic.

> We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness, help and sympathy during the illness and death of our dear mother and grand

C. W. Stockwell. Mrs Georgia Cox. We invite the inspection Miss Lily Hendrix says that none of

> scribed in the Ledger can't surpar the dinner she ate at the home of the Goddard sisters, north of town.

S. H. Richards, U. S. Mail clerk on the South Branch, is taking a short va

The old maid naturally wonders if bachelors will be as selfish and stingy

MARTIN-MILLER WEDDING Miss Ida Miller, the charming 10, 20 AND 30 YEARS COWHERD WON'T TA AGO THIS WEEK.

30 YEARS AGO erected in Martinsburg. Among those o'clock at the home of the bride by building were Gant and Fisher, Mr. the Rev. S. W. Hayne, They will Romans, Thomas Lowder and Samuel make their home on the bridegroom's Overbaugh.

A large masquerade party was beld Mrs Martin is a graduate of the at the skating rink in Mexico. McMillan High School, class of 1911, Ernest Garret and Miss Bertie Pool and is a most accomplished and affa- were married at Centralia. Silas K. Gilpin and Miss Eliza Her a sterling young man of fine habits ring were married in Mexico.

> C. A. Buckner of this city, was mu ried to Miss Emily Duncan of St. Lou August Helfert opened a repai

shop in the Central Hotel building in this city. Frank Aubuchon and Eather Hais United States and Germany and lip of Martinsburg, were married. A large barn belonging to W. Crockett, three miles southeast Mexico, was destroyed by fire.

> 10 YEARS AGO Wabash passenger train, No. 3, ran nto a wagen near Wellsville injuring Mrs. Oscar Maupin and Mrs. Clem

Charles Corbett, a brakeman on th

Wabash, was injured in Mexico, while

Mexico, was seriously injured when his young son accidentally discharged a target rifle, the bullet penetrating It was announced the corn crop of

A fire at Martinsburg damaged the "Enterprise" office, Peyton's store and Overbaugh's merchandise John H. Gildea, 75 years old, died befo' de war" are fast passing away,

Audrain county would not fill the de-

and the Ledger regrets to an at his home west of Mexico. Willard Potts bought five houses and lots and four vacant lots in east Mexico from J. D. Inlow, paying \$10,-Miss May Rutter, who volunteered

to nurse the smallpox infested families of R. S. McKinney and illiam Mc-Kinney, was stricken with the disease and died.

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The Mexico Poultry Co.

Corner Jefferson and Anderson Sts. | Mexico, Mo. | Telephone No. 640 The Best Place to Market Your Eggs: Poultry: Butter

teaching in North Carolina, is home on a visit. Her many friends were de-Mrs. Price Guthrie of this city and

Mrs. Douglass of Benton City have been the guests of Mrs. Frank Brown, of Jefferson City.

Gifts that endure--The very air is now becoming charged with the spirit of giving, for Christmas will soon be here.

The choice and preferred gift is the one which endures, because it suggests the continuity of love and friendship.

Such a gift is a watch or piece of jewelry.

You will find at our store everything that would distinguish a first-class jewelry store-gifts of rare value for the lavish spender, and an almost unlimited choice of less expensive, but charming gifts to suit the limited income.

We are sure our selections will please you.

Pilcher Jewelry Co.

